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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

21st April, 1886.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

MARK BATE, Esq., J. P., to be Assessor and Collector, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," and amending Acts, for the Electoral District of Nanaimo.

JOHN JAMES MCKAY, Esq., to be a Notary Public for the Province.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

12th April, 1886.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

CHARLES A. VERNON, Esq., to be Private Secretary to His Honour, *vice* Captain R. G. Tatlow, resigned.

MICHAEL PHILLIPPS, Esq., of the Tobacco Plains, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Electoral District of Kootenay.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

8th March, 1886.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

GIDEON ROBERTSON, Esq., to be a Notary Public for the Province.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

21st April, 1886.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public Schools Act, 1879," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Alberni School District," viz.:—All that tract of land included in Alberni District.

Also that His Honour has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District under the title of the "Grand Prairie School District," viz.:—Commencing at a point forty chains south of the south-west corner of Lot 458, Group I, Kamloops Division of Yale District; thence true north, four miles; thence true east, nine miles, more or less, to the eastern boundary of Hugh Currie's pre-emption; thence true south, four miles; thence true west, nine miles, more or less, to the point of commencement.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,

Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to order that—

1. A vacation of the Supreme Court shall be observed from Friday the 23rd day of April, 1886, until Tuesday the 27th day of April, 1886 (both dates inclusive), and during such period no pleadings shall be delivered or causes tried.

2. This rule shall be cited as the "Easter Vacation Rule, 1886."

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

*Provincial Secretary's Office,
21st April, 1886.*

NOTICE.

FRIDAY the 23rd, and **Monday** the 26th, inst., being Statute Holidays, the Public Offices will be closed on those days.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

*Provincial Secretary's Office,
April 22nd, 1886.*

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Showing the dates and places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the year 1886.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria,..... Monday.....3rd May.
Nanaimo,..... Tuesday,..... 1st June.

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster,... Wednesday,..... 5th May.
Yale,..... Wednesday,..... 26th May.
Kamloops,..... Monday,..... 7th June.
Clinton,..... Monday,..... 14th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield,..... Monday.....13th September.
Clinton,..... Wednesday,..... 29th September.
Kamloops,..... Monday..... 4th October.
Lytton,..... Monday,..... 11th October.
Yale,..... Friday,..... 15th October.
New Westminster,... Wednesday...10th November.

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria,..... Monday,..... 22nd November
Nanaimo,..... Tuesday,..... 7th December.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 539, Group 1, New Westminster District, has been surveyed for the Royal City Planing Mills Co., (Ld.) as the land for which they made application to purchase July 17th, 1885, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works office, Victoria, and at the office of Chas. Warwick, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, New Westminster.

WM. SMITHE,

*Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 16th, 1886.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**CARIBOO DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 65, Group 1, Cariboo District, has been surveyed for Mr. S. Withrow, being the land for which he made application to purchase May 19th, 1885.

A plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of J. Bowron, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Richfield.

WM. SMITHE,

*Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 18th, 1886.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**ALBERNI DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-mentioned lots situate at Alberni have been surveyed, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, at the office of M. Bray, Esq., Assistant-Commissioner, Nanaimo, and at the residence of J. C. Mollett, Esq., J. P., Alberni:—

Lot 12—Michael Marvin Larcault, pre-emption record No. 71, July 3rd, 1884.

Lot 13—J. Clement, pre-emption record No. 139, August 18th, 1884.

Lot 14—Edward Mulhearn, pre-emption record No. 262, April 27th, 1885.

Lot 15—Frank McQuillon, pre-emption record No. 227, March 3rd, 1885.

Lot 16—John Mollett & J. C. Mollett, pre-emption record No. 381, Sept. 29th, 1885.

Lot 17—John Mollett & J. C. Mollett, pre-emption record No. 381, September 29th, 1885.

Lot 18—Walter Walters, pre-emption record No. 92, July 11th, 1884.

Lot 19—T. J. Lewis, pre-emption record No. 216, January 29th, 1885.

Lot 20—Peter Merryfield, pre-emption record No. 96, July 12th, 1884.

Lot 21—Edmond Gill, pre-emption record No. 296, May 26th, 1885.

Lot 22, Robert Crawford, pre-emption record No. 297, May 26th, 1885.

Lot 23—John Lowe, pre-emption record, No. 295, May 26th, 1885.

Lot 24—Charles A. Cox, pre-emption record No. 91, July 11th, 1884.

Lot 25—Emanuel Cox, pre-emption record No. 328, June 22nd, 1885.

Lot 26—John R. McLeod, pre-emption record No. 201, November 25th, 1884.

Lot 27—Robert Shaw, pre-emption record No. 236, March 14th, 1885.

Lot 28—James McNeil, pre-emption record No. 235, March 14th, 1885.

Lot 29—Edward Grandy, pre-emption record No. 164, October 9th, 1884.

Lot 30—J. T. Flick & J. Orr, pre-emption record No. 299, May 26th, 1885.

Lot 31—J. T. Flick & J. Orr, pre-emption record No. 299, May 26th, 1885.

Lot 32—J. G. Halpenny, pre-emption record No. 289, May 21st, 1885.

Lot 33—Kenneth McKenzie, pre-emption record No. 121, July 24th, 1884.

Lot 34—Andrew L. Smith, pre-emption record No. 331, June 24th, 1885.

Lot 35—George A. Smith, pre-emption record No. 332, June 24th, 1885.

Lot 36—Walter Stirling, pre-emption record No. 339, July 30th, 1885.

Lot 37—William Stothard, pre-emption record No. 265, April 28th, 1885.

Lot 38—Matthew A. Ward, pre-emption record No. 372, September 10th, 1885.

Lot 39—Hector McKenzie, pre-emption record No. 183, November 3rd, 1884.

Lot 40—James Hills & Henry Hills, pre-emption record No. 286, May 19th, 1885.

Persons having adverse claims to any of the above-mentioned Lots, must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from the date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,

*Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., January 26th, 1886.*

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.**SOOKE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public highway, 66 feet in width, is hereby established as follows, viz.:—

Commencing on the Otter Point road about 3 chains south from the north-east corner of Section 3; thence westerly to a point on the line between Sections 3 and 24, distant about 9 chains from the eastern boundary of said Sections; thence south-westerly along the Section line to Section 20.

WM. SMITHE,

*Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 24th March, 1886.*

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.**KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Highway which was established by Gazette notice dated 1st December, 1882, commencing near the junction of the Nicola River with Chaperon Creek, thence running north and south, one mile in each direction, is hereby extended for a distance of four miles additional in each direction, northerly and southerly.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 17th March, 1886.

Notice to Claimants of Land.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-mentioned lots in New Westminster District have been surveyed, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of C. Warwick, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, New Westminster.

Lot 423, Group 2—Wm. McDonald, pre-emption record No. 1371, April 6th, 1875.

Lot 436, Group 2—J. H. Henderson, pre-emption record No. 1432, February 17th, 1876.

Lot 455, Group 2—M. Wheeler, pre-emption record No. 1442, April 21st, 1876.

Persons having adverse claims to any of the above-mentioned lots must file a statement of same with the Commissioner, within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Land and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., February 8th, 1886.

FERRY.**KOOTENAY DISTRICT.**

SEALD TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Monday, 26th May next, for the right to maintain and operate a ferry at Gold River, near the mouth of McCulloch Creek.

With the tender must be given a description of the boat proposed to be operated, and the various rates of toll proposed to be collected.

Tenders must also state the amount of the annual rent to be paid to the Government for the privilege, and the security offered for faithfully carrying out the contract.

All officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., February 10th, 1886.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**KOOTENAY DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 27, Group 1, Kootenay District, has been surveyed for Col. James Baker, as the land claimed by him under Pre-emption Record No. 58, dated June 26th, 1885. A plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of A. W. Vowell, Esq., Kootenay.

Persons having adverse claims to any of the above land must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 19th, 1886.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.**OSOYOOS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following highway, 40 feet in width, is hereby established, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the shore of Long Lake, at the Indian Reserve; thence following the old trail, by way of Long Lake Creek, to the intersection of said trail with the Coldstream waggon road.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 17th March, 1886.

Notice to Claimants of Land.**KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 564, Group 1, Kamloops Division of Yale District has been surveyed for George J. Ainsworth as the land for which he made application to purchase, January 20th, 1885. A plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of the Assistant Commissioner, Kamloops.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., February 10th, 1886.

Notice to Claimants of Land.**NANOOSE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 9, NanOOSE, District has been surveyed, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of M. Bray, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Nanaimo.

Lot 9—Mark Bate, pre-emption record No. 1286, January 13th, 1872.

Persons having adverse claims to the above lot must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., March 12th, 1886.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**KOOTENAY DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-mentioned lots of land situate in Kootenay District have been surveyed, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of A. W. Vowell, Esq., Kootenay.

Lot 24, Group 1—J. T. Galbraith, application to purchase December 31st, 1884.

Lot 26, Group 1—Chas. Clark, application to purchase, February 20th, 1886.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 18th, 1886.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**SOOKE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Section 84, Sooke District, has been surveyed for A. D. White, as the land claimed by him under Pre-emption Record No. 1,519r, dated June 2nd, 1877, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

Adverse claimants to any portion of this land must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 15th, 1886.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-mentioned lots in New Westminster District have been surveyed, and a plan of the same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of C. Warwick, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, New Westminster:

Lot 542, Group 1, Henry Cooper, pre-emption record No. 654, March 6th, 1869.

Lot 452, Group 2, John Simpson, application to purchase, October 23rd, 1885.

Persons having adverse claims against Lot 542, Group 1, must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 4th, 1886.*

NOTICE.**CANCELLATION OF CROWN GRANT.**

WHEREAS on the 19th day of April, 1875, a Crown Grant was issued to Messrs. George Byrnes and James Reid for Lot 221, Group I., New Westminster District, in which the description of the land intended to be conveyed was defective;

Notice is therefore hereby given, in pursuance of Section 55 of the "Land Act, 1884," that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has directed the defective Crown Grant to be cancelled, and that a corrected one be issued in lieu thereof three months from the date hereof, unless good cause is shown to the contrary.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 22nd, 1886.*

NOTICE.**TENDERS FOR A TOLL TRAIL.**

SEALD TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Friday the 30th inst., for the privilege of constructing and maintaining a practicable pack trail from the point where the old trail between Linn Canal and Brunett Lake crosses the boundary between the Province of British Columbia and the Territory of Alaska, to Brunett Lake, an estimated distance of twenty-five miles, thence to the Devil's Shoot, or Miles Canyon, a further distance of about sixty miles.

Tenders must state the class of trail proposed to be constructed and the rates of toll proposed to be collected.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 19th, 1886.*

Notice to Claimants of Land**COMOX DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-mentioned sections of land in Comox District have been surveyed, and a plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of G. F. Drabble, Esq., Government Agent, Comox.

Section 77—Daniel Stewart, pre-emption record No. 132, August 4th, 1884.

Section 78—Oliver Duncan, pre-emption record No. 786, December 7th, 1864.

Persons having adverse claims to any of these lands must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., March 12th, 1886.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 543, Group 1, New Westminster District, has been surveyed for H. A. Perkins, Pre-emption Record, No. 1623, July 30th, 1878. A plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of Chas. Warwick, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, New Westminster.

Persons having adverse claims to any portion of this land must file a statement of same with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 20th, 1886.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**OSOYOOS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the north-east quarter of section 31 and the north-west quarter of section 32, township 35, has been surveyed for Thomas Leduc, Pre-emption Record No. 162, dated December 22nd, 1882. A plan of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of W. Dewdney, Esq., Okanagan.

Adverse claims to any portion of this land must be filed with the Commissioner within 60 days from date of this notice.

WM. SMITHE,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 19th, 1886.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated in Loughborough Inlet, Coast District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the east shore and about four miles from mouth of said Inlet, and running east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of land, more or less, situated on Hardwicke Island, Coast District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the south side, opposite the centre of Helmcken Island, and about 80 chains north-west from the beach and running south 40 chains; thence west 50 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 50 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7th, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase, as mountain pastoral land, the west halves of Section 2 and 3, R. 1. W., and Section 2 and 3, R. 2. W., in Vesuvius Bay, District of Salt Spring Island.

A. WALTER.

March 29th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a Public Highway in Sooke District: Commencing on Otter Point Road about 3 chains south of N. E. corner of Section 3, Sooke; thence west to Section line, (about 9 chains from post of Sections 3 and 24); thence south-west to Section 20, along the Section line.

EDWARD MILNE.

Dated 16th February, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 300 acres of land, more or less, situated on Charles Bay, Thurlow Island, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake on the beach and running east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains, to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

March 22nd, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated in Salmon River Valley, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about three miles above the mouth, and about 40 chains east of Salmon River, and running south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

March 22nd, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that sixty days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase an Island containing about ten acres, situated near the head of Coal Harbour, Burrard Inlet, in New Westminster District.

ALEXANDER RUSSELL.

March 11th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon River, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the west bank of said river and 70 chains below the mouth of the Meneka River, and running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. MERRILL.

April 7th, 1886.

NOTICE.

IT IS MY INTENTION to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of pastoral land adjoining Lot 101, Group I, in the Osoyoos division of Yale District, commencing at S. W. post of said lot, and running west half a mile; thence north half a mile; thence east half a mile, more or less, to N. E. post of above-mentioned lot.

J. C. HAYNES.

Osoyoos, 18th February, 1886.

NOTICE.

I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of land, situated in New Westminster District and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west corner of Lot 471, Group I; thence running west 40 chains; thence north 50 chains; thence east 40 chains, to north-west corner of Lot 471; thence south 50 chains, more or less, to point of beginning.

L. B. HAMLIN.

Victoria, 7th Jan., 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of pasture land situated in the Lillooet District, about four miles east of the 108-mile House on Cariboo Road:—Commencing at a post marked A; thence east 80 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north to place of commencement.

SIMON PHILLIPINE.

Lac La Hache, March 29th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate in Sayward District, described as follows:—

Commencing at W. Powers' S. W. corner post; thence west along Powers' east and west boundary line 80 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence east, 80 chains; thence north, 80 chains, to point of commencement.

GEORGE WALKER.

Victoria, B.C., 13th Sept., 1885.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that in two months from date

I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of mountain pasture land, situate on south shore of Nicola Lake, on Nicola-Kamloops waggon road, between claim of Robert Smith and Quilshanna. Said land extends from stake No. 1 east, 80 chains to stake No. 2; thence north, 20 chains, to stake No. 3; west along lake shore 80 chains, to stake No. 4, and south 20 chains, to point of commencement.

JOHN CHISHOLM.

Nicola, Dec. 22nd, 1885.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, situate in Sayward District, and described as follows:—Commencing at H. Rudge's north-west corner post; thence running west, 40 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence east, 40 chains; thence north, 80 chains, to point of commencement.

GEORGE TAYLOR.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 3rd, 1885.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Kootenay District, and described as follows:—Starting from my post on the N.E. boundary of John Galbraith's pre-emption, on Joseph's Prairie; thence running east half a mile; thence south, half a mile; thence west, half a mile; thence north, half a mile.

JAMES BAKER,

*Kootenay, Dec. 1st, 1885.**Lieut.-Colonel.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the gazetting of Public Highways, 66 feet wide, commencing at the N.E. corner of Section 28, Group II, New Westminster District, Township 26, running south between Sections 28 and 27, 21 and 22, 16 and 15.

Also starting from a point on the north bank of Camp Slough, N.W. corner of Lot 393, Group II, New Westminster District; east along bank of said Slough to corner of Lots 417 and 418 to Nelson Slough; thence along bank of Cottonwood Island to Fraser River.

Also 33 feet on each side of Section line between Sections 17 and 20, Township 26.

JAMES PATTERSON,

Chilliwack, March 5th, 1886.

C.M.C.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we, the undersigned, intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated in Sayward District, and described as follows:—Commencing at Lewis Casey's south-east corner stake; thence running due north along his eastern boundary, (80) eighty chains; thence east, (80) eighty chains; thence south, (80) eighty chains; thence west, (80) eighty chains, to the point of commencement.

H. A. HARRISON,

C. McLACHLAN.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 28th, 1885.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, situate at Mission Valley in the Yale-Osoyoos District, described as follows:—

Commencing at the N. E. corner of Edward Jesse Watson's pre-emption claim, running east, 40 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence west, 40 chains; thence north, 80 chains to point of commencement.

EDWARD JESSE WATSON.

Priest's Valley, Okanagan, Feb. 4th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the "Legal Professions Act, 1884," that the undersigned will, at the expiration of two months from the date thereof, apply to be admitted and enrolled as a Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated March 10th, A.D. 1886.

ANDREW CRICHTON MUIR.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that 30 days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in New Westminster District:—Commencing at a point on the east shore line of Gambier Island, about 2½ miles northerly from Halkett Point, and about 15 chains northerly from a small creek; thence west 40 chains; south 80 chains; east 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Gambier Island; thence northerly, following meanderings of shore line to point of commencement; containing 320 acres, more or less.

HENRY ROSS.

New Westminster, March 12th, 1886.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend applying to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, situated in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west corner post of Thomas Greenhow's purchased land, Section 36, Township 8, running north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement—160 acres. Also commencing at the north-west corner post of Thomas Greenhow's purchased land running east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, Section 1, Township 7—160 acres.

THOS. GREENHOW.

Priests' Valley, March 10th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase, under Section 59 of "Land Act, 1884," 320 acres of land situated in Otter District, commencing at a stake driven about 1½ miles west of Jordan River; thence westerly following the shore line of the Straits of San Juan 40 chains; thence northerly 80 chains; thence easterly 40 chains; thence southerly to the point of commencement.

W. HEATHORN.

Victoria, B. C., April 16th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 200 acres of land, more or less, situate in Port Neville, Coast District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the west shore and about one-half mile above the mouth of the Inlet, and running north 60 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south to beach; thence along the beach to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7th, 1886.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase (250) two hundred and fifty acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the north-west corner post of my pre-emption claim No. 53; thence north, 50 chains; thence east, 50 chains; thence south, 50 chains; thence west, 50 chains to point of commencement.

B. SPRINGER,

Per J. C. HUGHES.

New Westminster, Feb. 8th, 1886.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that in two months from date I shall make application to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, B. C., for leave to purchase 640 acres of mountain pasture land, situate near head of Nicola Lake, and more particularly described as follows:—

S.W. ¼	Section 8,	Township 99,	containing	160	acres.
N.E. ¼	"	6,	"	"	"
S.E. ¼	"	6,	"	"	"
S.W. ¼	"	6,	"	"	"

SAMUEL MOORE.

Beaver Ranch, Nicola Lake,

February 22nd, 1886.

NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY made application to the Hon. Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the following described tracts:—

Tract No. 1—A tract of 480 acres, more or less, bordering on the Canadian Pacific Railway and lying west thereof, commencing at a point about 40 chains north of Hope station and following the line of railway northerly for 160 chains, with a depth of 40 chains.

Tract No. 2—A tract of 160 acres, more or less, comprising a small Island situate about a quarter of a mile below Hope station, containing about 80 acres, together with 80 acres lying between the bank of Fraser River and the Canadian Pacific Railway line immediately opposite the aforesaid Island.

Tract No. 3—A tract of 800 acres, more or less, commencing at a point on the left bank of Fraser River, about one mile below the town of Hope, being at the junction of Silver Creek and Fraser River, thence down Fraser River for a distance of 200 chains, with a depth of 40 chains.

Tract No. 4—A tract of 320 acres, commencing at the south-west corner of Cheam Indian Reserve; thence east 40 chains to the west boundary of land already applied for by us; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

POPCUM SAW MILL,

KNIGHT BROS., Proprietors.

January 7th, 1886.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that we shall make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land for pastoral purposes, situated at what is known as Zig Zag Springs, west side of Fraser River, between French Bar and Lone Cabin Creeks, commencing at a stake marked A; thence south 40 chains, to stake B; thence east 40 chains, to stake C; thence north 40 chains, to stake D; thence west 40 chains, to place of commencement.

P. A. HARTMAN,

F. T. GOTTFRIEDSEN.

Zig Zag Spring, March 18th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon River, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on its west bank and about 30 chains below the mouth of the Memeka River, and running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 9th, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber license, situated at the Big Bend, Kootenay District, B. C. Starting from a stake about 9 miles from the mouth of Gold River; thence up Gold River 100 chains; thence south-east 100 chains; thence south-west 100 chains; thence north-west 100 chains to starting post.

JAMES McDONALD.

Farwell, B. C., March 3rd, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber license, situated at the Big Bend, Kootenay District, B. C. Starting from a stake about 8 miles from the mouth of Gold Creek; thence up Gold Creek 100 chains; thence south-east 100 chains; thence south-west 100 chains; thence north-west 100 chains to starting post.

JOHN FRED. HUME.

Farwell, B. C., March 3rd, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, more or less, on Salt Spring Island, described as follows:—Commencing at the N. W. corner of Section 13, R. 1 W.; thence due west to the N. W. corner of Section 13, R. 4 W.; thence due north 20 chains; thence due west to the sea shore; thence following the shore line in a northerly direction 80 chains, more or less; thence due east to the S. W. corner of Section 7, R. 1 N.; thence in a southerly direction to the place of beginning.

ROBERT HOLBURN.

Victoria, March 15th, 1886.

NOTICE.

I, THE undersigned, intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land (320 acres), situated in New Westminster District, and on the north side of Burrard Inlet:—Commencing at the north-west corner post of Lot 273; thence true north 80 chains; thence true east 40 chains; thence true south 80 chains, to the north boundary of Lot 273; thence true west 40 chains, along said boundary to the place of beginning.

WILLIAM POWER.

New Westminster, Feb. 23rd, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situated in the Yale District, Osoyoos Division, and described as follows:—

The south-east $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 20, Township 9, and the north-west $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 21, Township 9.

CORNELIUS O'KEEFE.

Priest's Valley, March 2nd, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that, 60 days from date, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, B. C., for leave to purchase 320 acres of mountain pasture land, in Nicola Division of Yale District, situate as follows:—

160 acres adjoining pre-emption claim of A. E. Howse, Upper Nicola, commencing at post No. 1, and running south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains, and east 40 chains, to initial stake.

160 acres adjoining pre-emption claim of George McRae, at Douglas Lake; commencing at N.E. corner post and extending north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, to point of commencement.

RONALD McRAE.

Douglas Lake, Feb. 22nd, 1886.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, more or less, in the Kootenay District, and described as follows:—

Starting for my initial post from the N. W. point of John Galbraith's pre-emption grant on Joseph's Prairie; thence running west half a mile; thence south to the N. W. point of John Galbraith's purchase of 160 acres; thence west half a mile; thence south one and a half miles; thence east half a mile; thence north to the S. W. point of John Galbraith's purchase.

JAMES BAKER,

*Lieut.-Col., J. P.**Cranbrook, Kootenay,
February 9th, 1886.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 320 acres of pastoral land at Osoyoos, in the District of Yale:—Commencing at the north-west corner post, running east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

FRANK RICHTER.

Priest's Valley, 22nd January, 1886.

MUNICIPAL BY-LAW.

A By-Law to amend the "Revenue By-Law, 1883."

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster as follows:

1. The tenth clause or section of the schedule to the said "Revenue By-Law, 1883," is hereby amended by striking out the figures "\$10" therein and inserting the figures "\$25" in lieu thereof.

2. This By-Law may be cited as the "Hawkers' and Peddlers' Licence By-Law, 1886."

By-Law read the third time and finally passed by the Municipal Council, the twelfth day of April, 1886.

Reconsidered and adopted and the seal of the Corporation appended hereto this nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1886.

R. DICKINSON,

Mayor.

[L.S.]

A. J. ALPORT,
C.M.C.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a post about 20 chains east of the north-east corner of lot 272; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 265; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 50 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 10 chains; thence east 40 chains, to point of commencement.

MOODYVILLE SAW-MILL CO., (LIMITED).

B. SPRINGER,

*Manager.**Burrard Inlet, April 16th, 1886.*

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, more or less, in the Kootenay District, and described as follows:—Starting from the S.E. post (as my initial post) of Colonel James Baker's purchase of 160 acres, at the south end of John Galbraith's pre-emption grant on Joseph's Prairie, thence running south, half a mile; thence west, one and a half miles; thence north, one and a half miles; thence east to John Galbraith's purchase of 160 acres on S. W. end of the said John Galbraith's pre-emption grant.

VALENTINE HYDE BAKER.

Kootenay, Dec. 7th, 1885.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends making application to the Chief Commissioner of Public Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described tract of land in Coast District, B. C. Commencing at the south-west corner of the Hastings Saw Mill Company's claim at Bickley Bay, Thurlow Island; thence south 60 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 250 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 100 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 90 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains, to point of commencement; containing 2100 acres, more or less.

RICHARD ALEXANDER,

Manager, Hastings Saw Mill Co.

March 8th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that thirty days after date we will apply for a licence to cut and carry away timber from that portion of the Government Reserve at Hastings, New Westminster District, lying east of the New Westminster and Burrard Inlet Road, the same containing about 400 acres.

ROYAL CITY PLANING MILLS CO.,

JOHN HENDRY,

February 5th, 1886.

Manager.

NOTICE.

THIRTY DAYS AFTER DATE I will apply for a License to cut, fell and carry away trees and timber from the following described land:—

Situated on Prince of Wales Reach, Jervis Inlet; commencing at a stake on the shore line marked A, due east from Mount Diadem, following the coast line in a southerly direction for one and one-half miles in length, and one hundred yards deep for the same distance.

HENRY LANGE.

New Westminster, January 4th, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, thirty days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in New Westminster District:—

Commencing at a stake set on the west shore line of the large bay immediately east of Centre Bay on Gambier Island, and about a quarter of a mile southerly from head of said bay; thence north 40 chains; west 60 chains; south 40 chains, more or less, to shore line of bay; thence northerly following shore line of said bay to point of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

ISAAC J. HAYDEN,

By his agent A. G. GAMBLE.

New Westminster, March 22nd, 1886.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

KOOTENAY.

ALL MINING CLAIMS legally held in this District under the "Mineral Act, 1884," may be laid over from the 15th day of October next till the 1st day of June, 1886, subject to clause 100, part 7, of said Act.

A. W. VOWELL,

G. C. & S. M.

Kicking Horse,

25th September, 1885.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have made application for a license to cut timber on a tract of land containing 1000 acres and bounded as follows:—Commencing at the intersection of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway line with the southern boundary line of the Railway land belt, near Niagara Canyon; thence along said boundary line, bearing S. 64° 15' W., a distance of 230 chains to Waugh's Creek; thence down Waugh's Creek to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway crossing; and thence along said railway to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH HUNTER.

Victoria, B. C., January 25th, 1886.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

CLOSE SEASON.

ALL MINING CLAIMS legally held on Lorne Creek, Skeena River, and its tributaries, are laid over till the first day of June, A.D. 1886, (*vide* Sec. 5, "Mineral Act, 1884.")

ALLAN GRAHAM,

Lorne Creek, 1st Oct., 1885.

Gold Commissioner.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE all Gold Mining or Mineral Claims on Vancouver Island will be laid over until the 15th May, 1886, subject to the provisions of the "Mineral Act, 1884."

WM. SMITHE,

Gold Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department,

Victoria, B. C., 18th December, 1885.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER the 1st day of December next all Gold Mining or Mineral Claims legally held in the Lillooet District, will be laid over until the 1st day of May, 1886, subject to the provisions of Clause 100 of the "Mineral Act, 1884."

F. SOUES,

Gold Commissioner.

Clinton, 6th Nov., 1885.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER the 1st November next all Gold Mining or Mineral Claims in the Cariboo District will be laid over till the 20th May, 1886, subject to the provisions of section 100 of the "Mineral Act, 1884."

JNO. BOWRON,

Gold Commissioner.

Richfield, 2nd October, 1885.

NOTICE.

Bacon Bar Hill Company's Claim.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Mineral Claim of the Bacon Bar Hill Company, situated at Leech River, is hereby laid over for six months from the date hereof, under the provisions of the "Mineral Act, 1884."

WM. SMITHE,

Gold Commissioner.

Victoria, B. C., 19th June, 1885.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ALL GOLD MINING or Mineral Claims, legally held in the Kamloops and Nicola Divisions of Yale District, will be laid over from the 1st day of December 1885, until the 1st day of May, 1886, subject to the provisions of Section 100, "Mineral Act, 1884."

G. C. TUNSTALL,

Gold Commissioner.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is our intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to cut timber over one thousand acres of land in each of our respective names, for a period of four years. The lands are situated on Queen Charlotte Island and are more particularly designated on the sketch thereto.

J. H. TURNER,

H. C. BEETON,

A. A. GREEN,

WM. WILSON,

C. CLIFFORD,

H. SAUNDERS,

R. BYRNE,

A. MCKENZIE,

R. HARVEY,

T. P. SAUNDERS,

JOHN WILSON,

WM. CHROW.

Victoria, March 30th, 1886.